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WE HAVE BEEN UNABLE TO GET ANYTHING DEFINITE FROM MFA SOURCES REGARDING KADIR'S CLAIMED PLENIPOTENTIARY POWERS. OBVIOUSLY, SINCE HE IS A CABINET MINISTER, WISMA PUTRA OFFICIALS ARE RELUCTANT TO SAY HIS POWERS ARE RESTRICTED BUT EQUALLY OBVIOUSLY, SINCE HE IS A VERY INDEPENDENT CHARACTER, THEY ARE CONCERNED LEST HE AGREE TO SOMETHING WITHOUT CONSULTING THEM. OUR CONCLUSION IS THAT WHILE HE DOES NOT HAVE FORMAL PLENIPOTENTIARY POWERS AND WOULD HAVE TO SUBMIT ANY IMPORTANT CHANGE IN MALAYSIAN POLICY TO THE PM AND THE CABINET FOR APPROVAL, CONFIDENTIAL

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THAT HIS RECOMMENDATIONS WOULD BE LIKELY TO STAND.

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